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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re:

Application of Hiroaki INOUE, Yoshiyuki ITO, Junji SAKAI, Masato EDAHIRO

PARALLEL PROCESSING SYSTEM BY OS FOR SINGLE PROCESSORS

AND PARALLEL PROCESSING PROGRAM

Assignee: NEC CORPORATION

Our Ref.: Q80602

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 84 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 29 sheets of formal drawings, a copy of the executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) with references.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

| Total claims | 35 | - | 20 | = | . 15 | X | \$18.00 | = | \$270.00 |
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| Independent claims | 6 | _ | 3 | = | 3 | X | \$86.00 | = | \$258.00 |
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| TOTAL FILING FEE | \$1298.00 |
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| TOTAL FEE | \$1338.00 |
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Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1298.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.





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Priority is claimed from:

Country

Application No

Filing Date

Japan

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The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted, SUGHRUE MION, PLLC

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